

**PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q73676

Akihiko SHIRAKAWA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/539,593

Group Art Unit: 1709

Confirmation No.: 4782

Examiner: Matthew E. Hoban

Filed: June 17, 2005

For: BARIUM TITANATE AND ELECTRONIC PARTS USING THE MATERIAL

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of September 6, 2007 to January 7, 2008 (January 6, 2008 being a Sunday).

The statutory fee of \$120.00 is being charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880 via EFS Payment Screen. The USPTO is also directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

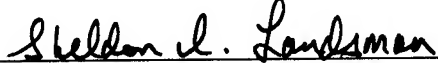
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